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REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment A corrects some typographical errors in the structures in this application.

The sequence page lists Sequence 1 as

GTPGPQGIAGQRGVV or alternatively as

Gly-Thr-Pro-Gly-Pro-Glu-Gly-Ile-Ala-Gly-Glu-GLy-Val-Val

As is seen in the included Examples 1 to 9. The capital letter designations for the amino acid sequence are correct and the three letter designations needed to be correct for exact correspondence. The correct capital letter sequence for Sequence 1 is found on page 11, line 17 and page 13, line 3; page 18, lines 9-11; page 22, Seq ID No. 1 in Table 1; page 47, line 15; page 55, the MAP 4 peptide has the correct P-15 sequence.

The sequence sheets and disk submitted concurrently with this application on September 16, 2003 correctly correspond to the P-15 structure as corrected herein.

No new matter is added to this application.

REQUEST

Applicants request this amendment and the enclosed CD be forwarded to the USPTO Publication Department to correct the PTO publication which will publish about 03/30/2005.

SUMMARY

If additional fees are required for filing these documents, the Commissioner is

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hereby authorized to charge or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-1331.

Respectfully submitted,

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